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17-36-15 Adoption of budget -- Immunity.

- (1)
 - (a) On or before December 31, 2014, a county of the second, third, fourth, fifth, or sixth class is not subject to the provisions of this section; and
 - (b) on or after January 1, 2015, a county of the second, third, fourth, fifth, or sixth class is subject to the provisions of this section.
- (2)
 - (a) On or before the last day of each fiscal period, the governing body by resolution shall adopt the budget.
 - (b) A budget adopted in accordance with Subsection (2)(a) is, unless amended, in effect for the next fiscal period.
 - (c) The budget officer shall:
 - (i) certify a copy of the final budget, and of any subsequent budget amendment; and
 - (ii) file a copy with the state auditor not later than 30 days after the day on which the governing body adopts the budget.
 - (d) The budget officer shall file a certified copy of the budget in the office of the budget officer for inspection by the public during business hours.
- (3)
 - (a) Except as provided in Subsection (3)(b), a county officer or county employee may not file a legal action in state or federal court against the county, a department, or a county officer for any matter related to the following:
 - (i) the adoption of a county budget;
 - (ii) a county appropriation;
 - (iii) a county personnel allocation; or
 - (iv) a fund related to the county budget, a county appropriation, or a county personnel allocation.
 - (b) A county or district attorney may enforce a procedural requirement that governs the adoption or approval of a budget in accordance with this chapter.